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FROM : Office of the Deputy Commissioner  
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SUBJECT : Withdrawal from Issue of Application No. 09/989,298  
Applicant(s) : Alan D. Schreiber et al  
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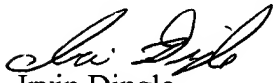
The above-identified application has been assigned Patent No. 6,979,678 and an issue date of December 27, 2005.

It is hereby directed that this application be withdrawn from issue at the request of the applicant.

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The following erratum should be published in the Official Gazette if the above-identified application is published in the OG of: December 27, 2005.

"All reference to Patent No. 6,979,678 to Alan D. Schreiber et al of Pennsylvania for TRIPEPTIDE OF FCGAMMARIIA appearing in the Official Gazette of December 27, 2005 should be deleted since no patent was granted."

  
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